

Biography

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Ms. Richardson has been with the Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Installations, Energy and Environment) since the fall of 2014. In her current role, she leads installation strategy development, resource requirements and funding, and installation modernization efforts for the Army. She integrates installation strategic readiness and modernization considerations into Army planning and programming documents, and is driving change for installation operations as part of an Army cultural shift recognizing installation enabling roles and capabilities in Army force projection.

Prior to this assignment, she was the Program Analysis and Evaluation Division Chief within the resource management staff in the Combined Arms Support Command at Fort Lee, Virginia. She supported nine Army schools to ensure resources appropriately aligned in support of sustainment education and training.

Ms. Richardson is a retired Army colonel of logistics. She was the first Army Logistics University President, where she led the 2005 Base Realignment and Closure consolidation of professional military leader education and training from the Army Logistics Management College, the US Army Ordnance School, the US Army Quartermaster School, and the US Army Transportation School into one University.

She commanded the Army and Air Force Exchange Service (AAFES) – Europe and South West Asia, providing AAFES support to the European theater and forward operating bases throughout the Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom theaters. Prior to this she served as Division Chief, Acquisition and Support Programming Analysis Division, Program Analysis and Evaluation Directorate, Headquarters, Department of the Army, where she programmed resources for the Stryker force, and other programs that informed Army modernization and logistics.

Ms. Richardson is also a certified Executive Coach and DISC behavioral analyst.

CAREER CHRONOLOGY:

- March 2021 Present, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of the army for Strategic Integration, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Installations, Energy and Environment
- November 2014 March 2021, Director, Strategic Integration, and Program Analyst (Strategic Integration), Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Installations, Energy and Environment
- July 2010 November 2014, Division Chief, Programming Analysis and Evaluation, G8, U.S. Army Combined Arms Support Command, Fort Lee, VA
- September 2005 May 2010, Commandant, Army Logistics Management College, and President, Army Logistics University, Fort Lee, VA
- July 2003 July 2005 Commander, Army and Air Force Exchange Service Europe and South West Asia, Mainz, Germany
- June 2001 June 2003 Division Chief, Acquisition and Support Program Analysis Division, U.S. Army Program Analysis and Evaluation Directorate, G8, Headquarters, Department of the Army
- July 1997 July 2000 Commander, 501st Forward Support Battalion, 1st Armored Division, Friedberg, Germany, and G4, 1st Armored Division, Bad Kreuznach, Germany
- June 1995 June 1997 Warfighting Analyst, Joint Staff, J8, Pentagon
- June 1993 June 1995 Division Logistics Plans Officer, 4th Infantry Division and Support Operations Officer, 68th Corps Support Battalion, Fort Carson, CO
- October 1988 June 1992 Instructor, Operations Research, Army Logistics Management College, Fort Lee, VA
- April 1983 January 1986 S4, 67th Maintenance Battalion, and Commander, 533rd Transportation Company, Fort Benning, GA
- December 1981 April 1983 Tactical Officer, 51st Company, Officer Candidate School, Fort Benning, GA
- December 1980 December 1981 Platoon Leader, 2nd Supply and Transportation Battalion, 2nd Infantry Division, Korea

EDUCATION:

- U.S. Military Academy, West Point, NY, 1980, B.S.
- Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, KS, 1993
- University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, 1988, M.S. Industrial Engineering
- Marine Corps University, Quantico, VA, 2001, Masters of Strategic Studies